

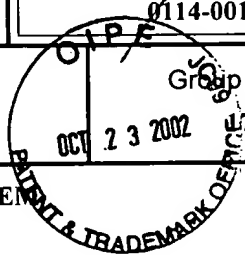
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Invention: **AUTOMATED PIN FOR GAS ASSISTED INJECTION MOLDING SYSTEM**



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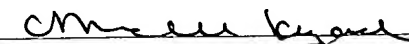
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